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Election of 14 members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund

Note by the Secretary-General

1. By resolution 48/162 of 20 December 1993, the General Assembly decided that the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund should be transformed into an Executive Board, and that the Executive Board should have 36 members elected with due regard to equitable geographical representation and other relevant factors, with a view to ensuring the broadest and most effective representation.

2. At its organizational session for 1994, the Economic and Social Council elected the 36 new members of the Executive Board (Council decision 1994/219). Pursuant to Assembly resolution 48/162, the seats were filled according to the following pattern:

(a) Eight seats for African States;

(b) Seven seats for Asian States;

(c) Four seats for Eastern European States;

(d) Five seats for Latin American and Caribbean States;

(e) Twelve seats for Western European and other States.

3. At its resumed organizational session for 1994, the Council will be required to elect 14 members of the Executive Board from among States Members of the United Nations or members of the specialized agencies or of the International Atomic Energy Agency, for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 1995, to fill the vacancies that will occur on 31 December 1994 upon

the expiration of the terms of the following members: Cameroon, Canada, China, Congo, Cuba, France, Gambia, Germany, Lesotho, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Slovakia and Somalia.

4. The 14 members will be elected on the following basis:

Five members from African States;

Three members from Asian States;

One member from Eastern European States;

One member from Latin American and Caribbean States;

Four members from Western European and other States.

5. The current membership of the Executive Board is given in the annex below.

Annex

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME/
UNITED NATIONS POPULATION FUND

(36 members; three-year term)

Membership in 1994

Eight seats for African States

Cameroon* (1994), Congo* (1994), Gambia* (1994), Lesotho* (1994), Morocco (1996), Sierra Leone (1996), Somalia* (1994), Sudan (1995)

Seven seats for Asian States

Bangladesh (1996), China* (1994), India (1995), Pakistan (1996), Papua New Guinea* (1994), Philippines* (1994), Republic of Korea (1995)

Four seats for Eastern European States

Bulgaria (1995), Poland (1996), Russian Federation (1995), Slovakia* (1994)

Five seats for Latin American and Caribbean States

Argentina (1995), Cuba* (1994), Peru (1996), Trinidad and Tobago (1996), Uruguay (1995)

Twelve seats for Western European and other States

Belgium (1996), Canada* (1994), Denmark (1996), France* (1994), Germany* (1994), Italy (1995), Japan (1996), New Zealand (1995), Norway* (1994), Portugal (1996), United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (1995), United States of America (1995)

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* Retiring member.